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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application : Lisa A. Paige et al.  
Serial No. : 09/429,331  
Filed : October 28, 1999  
For : METHOD OF PREDICTING THE ABILITY OF  
COMPOUNDS TO MODULATE THE BIOLOGICAL  
ACTIVITY OF RECEPTORS  
Examiner : Wessendorf, Teresa  
Attorney Docket : 102555-400  
Group Art Unit : 1639  
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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.136(a)

Mail Stop Amendment  
Commissioner for Patents  
P. O. Box 1450  
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

1. This is a petition to extend the period for reply to the Office Action mailed September 22, 2004, setting a 3 month shortened statutory period for response which expired on December 22, 2004, for a total of 3 months to March 22, 2005.
2. A reply in connection with the matter for which this extension is requested:

is filed herewith.

[ ] has been filed.

3. Extension Fee Calculation

[ ]	First Month	\$120
[ ]	Second Month	\$450
[X]	Third Month	\$1,020
[ ]	Fourth Month	\$1,590
[ ]	Fifth Month	\$2,160
[X]	Small Entity Reduction (50%)	\$510
TOTAL FEE		\$510

- [ ] An extension for \_\_\_ month(s) has already been secured, and the fee paid the therefore of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is deducted from the total fee due for the total months of extension now requested.

EXTENSION FEE DUE WITH THIS REQUEST: \$510.00

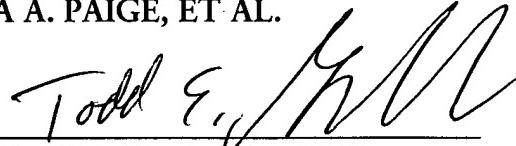
4. Fee Payment

- [ ] A check in amount of \$\_\_\_\_\_ is attached.
- [X] Charge \$510.00 to Deposit Account No. 23-1665. An additional copy of this transmittal letter is enclosed.
- [X] Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 23-1665.

Respectfully submitted,

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